

### Curling teams, schedule completed for first draw

Curling teams and schedule for the first draw have been announced. Curlers could cut out this column for future reference.

#### Monday Mixed 7 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Team 1: May Dumars, Henry Leachman, John Buchman, Rosemary Cook.  
 Team 2: Bill Dumars, Nan Hurst, Tony Stapleton, Val Drinkwater.  
 Team 3: George Williams, Bill Mainprize, Norma Marchment, Lily Higgins.  
 Team 4: Ken Marchment, George Sargent, Mary Irwin, Kent Hallman.  
 Team 5: Ab Irwin, Ruth Leatherland, Joe Hurst, Lil Stapleton.  
 Team 6: Chas. Kirkness, Ron Guest, Lois Mackenzie, Eldora McGiloway.

#### Monday Mixed 9 p.m. - 11 p.m.

Team 1: Andy McKenzie, Wila Hewitt, Bob Armstrong, Anne Irvine.  
 Team 2: Dick Lee, Shirley Hunter, Shirley Armstrong, Audrey Cunningham.  
 Team 3: Don McMillan, Dolores Tyler, Harold Manes, Marg Gibson.  
 Team 4: Ted Tyler Jr., Eleanor Goy, Catherine McMillan, Jane Sunnucks.  
 Team 5: Bruce Cargill, Lois McLean, Shirley Somerville, Bruce Cunningham.  
 Team 6: John Goy, Doreen Lee, Jack Blow, Christine Tost.

#### Tuesday Men's League 7-9 p.m.

Team 1: Frank Van Wyck, Sam Brunelle, Steve Dubois, Gordon Reid.  
 Team 2: Dr. Buchanan, John Buchman, Alec Johnson, Paul Youngblut.  
 Team 3: Walt Dubois, Claude Cook, Alan McKenzie, Barry Buchanan.  
 Team 4: Len Lovell, George Lee, Neil Anderson, Sam Holmes.  
 Team 5: Fyfe Somerville, Jim Inglis, Jim Lee, Bill Taylor.  
 Team 6: Don Timmings, Allan Ellerby, Phil McCristall, Hugh Jordan.

#### Tuesday Mixed Curling

Team 1: Harvey Lavery, Charlotte Holmes, Fred Wilds, Agnes Holmes.  
 Team 2: Mick Holmes, May Wilds, Mary Marks, Jim Sunnucks.  
 Team 3: Ethel Holmes, Wes Beatty, May Laing, R. Storey.  
 Team 4: Brian Moore, Fred New, Pauline Symon, Austin Young.

#### Team 5: Anne Moore, Helen Otterbein, R. Evelyn, Art Gordon.

Team 6: Gwen Tyler, Lorne Youngblut, Bill Somerville, Lynn Gordon.  
 Team 7: Jack Ridley, Dolores Jordan, Isabel McKenzie, Jean McPhail.  
 Team 8: Chester Anderson, Laura Lovell, Bette Footitt, Ted Hansen.  
 Team 9: Meb Blow, C. Davidson, Doris Creamer, Ruth Holmes.  
 Team 10: Marg Toth, Kae Hansen, Herb Price, Norma Robinson.  
 Team 11: Ted Tyler, Phyllis Patrick, Harry Otterbein, Hilda Tizzard.  
 Team 12: Bern Van Fleet, Gladys Price, Stella Brunelle, John Lovell.  
 Team 13: Al Kirkness, Betty Oakes, Mac Symon, Bea Dubois.  
 Team 14: Bill Toth, Jackie Blow, Georgina Van Fleet, Percy Tizzard.

#### Spare Captains

Monday 7-9: Ruth Leatherland 853-1745; Monday 9-11: Dolores Tyler 853-0304; Tuesday Mixed: Kae Hansen 853-2957; Tuesday Men's: Skips. Players who will be absent should contact their skips if possible. If not, contact spare captains for your draw.

#### Monday Mixed 7-9 and 9-11

	B	C	D
Nov. 14	1-2	3-4	5-6
Nov. 21	5-4	1-6	2-3
Nov. 28	3-1	2-5	6-4
Dec. 5	2-6	4-1	3-5
Dec. 12	1-5	6-3	4-2
Dec. 19	3-2	4-5	1-6

#### Tuesday Mixed 7-9

	A	E
Nov. 15	11-12	13-14
Nov. 22	4-7	6-9
Nov. 29	6-1	8-3
Dec. 6	5-14	7-2
Dec. 13	10-3	12-5
Dec. 20	2-12	1-4

#### Tuesday Mixed 9-11

	A	B	C	D	E
Nov. 15	1-2	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10
Nov. 22	11-8	13-10	1-12	3-14	2-5
Nov. 29	10-5	12-7	9-14	2-11	4-13
Dec. 6	9-4	11-6	8-13	1-10	3-12
Dec. 13	14-7	2-9	4-11	6-13	1-8
Dec. 20	6-3	5-8	10-7	9-12	11-14



—Staff Photo

OFFICIAL OPENING of the hockey season in Acton Friday night drew only a small crowd to see Acton go down to defeat at the hands of the Hespeler team. Officiating were Beardmore president W. J. Beatty and Mayor Les Doby dropping the first puck. Left to right are Gordie Bell, Acton centre; Mayor Doby, referee Ron Breen from Georgetown, Mr. Beatty and Hespeler centre Larry O'Kafka.

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—Photo by Jim Rose

NORMAN HOGG, vice president Canadian Shorthorn Association, presents on behalf of Hays Farms Ltd., Premier Breeder and Premier Exhibitor Banners to Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Bennett of this district. Also photoed are Emerson

Clarke, Scotsdale manager, and Lassie Queen Gail Parsons and alternate Jeanette Elmhirst. In the foreground is Scotsdale Vivid Rosewood, grand champion female of the show.

### Advice to growers

## Orchards benefit from mulching

By Charles Warner  
Fruit and Vegetable  
Extension Specialist

Soil management in an orchard has long been a subject of discussion by growers of tree fruit. In this area, the system of soil culture has gradually taken over, and now most orchardists use this method of soil management. Sod has many advantages over clean cultivation, yet it still has some problems. Cultivation of an orchard will slowly run down the condition of the soil, while a sod system will constantly improve the structure of the soil. As well, a sod forms a nice surface upon which to work in the orchard.

Sod provides problems in that it uses moisture that is needed by the tree and it provides a cover that attracts mice. We try to overcome these drawbacks by keeping the sod cut short. With a short sod we may run into trouble with winter root injury because of lack of root protection.

The answer to many of these problems of orchard soil management can be solved by the use of mulch. Mulch materials

—Rev. G. Luckhart Royal, a former minister of Norval and Union Presbyterian Churches, has been named moderator of the Hamilton and London Synod of the church. He is ministering at Goderich. While at Norval he served on Esqueving Township's area school board.

will provide the following advantages:

1. Protects roots from winter injury.
2. Protects roots from summer heat.
3. Reduction of weed growth.
4. Retention of moisture for root use.
5. Encourages trees to root near the surface where the soil is richest.
6. Improves the condition of the soil.
7. Provides nutrients.

Using mulch does have some disadvantages, however. Mice become more of a problem and control becomes very important. Mulch is a fire hazard and this must be watched carefully. Also we must consider the cost of the mulch material.

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## Halton Jerseys win awards at "Royal"

Once again Jersey breeders in Halton County took many of the top placings and important awards at the Royal Winter Fair.

B. H. Bull and Son, Norval, won the Premier Breeder award, for which they received the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club banner and the Nesbitt Trophy. In the bull calf class their entry Brampton Royal Aim was third. Brampton Aiming Sis Acme took third prize in a class of 24 yearling heifers. In the strong two-year-old class, with 33 shown, Brampton Sleeping Bijou was first, thus winning the Pioneer Farm Trophy, and Brampton Advancer Lua was fourth in the same class, the latter having been sold the previous evening at the Sale of the Stars for the top price of \$1,800 to John H. Molson, St. Sauveur

des Mons, Que. In the four-year-olds, Brampton Princess Eureka was third and Brampton Aim R Carom placed fifth. As the first two places in this class went to American cows, Brampton Princess Eureka qualified for the Schulman Trophy which is presented to the best four-year-old from a Canadian bred dam.

In the "best udder" class Brampton Sleeping Bijou placed second and the second prize five years and over, Brampton Bijou of Eureka, placed fourth. Their Breeder's Herd took first prize and with it the Raithby Testimonial Trophy, and the get of Brampton Eureka also won first prize and the Duncan Bull Memorial Trophy.

Maurice C. Beatty, Milton, showed the Reserve Senior and Reserve Grand Champion cow, Lindale Echo Ann, first prize winner in 5 years and over, and also third in the "best udder" class. Lindale Echo Ann was awarded the Australian Trophy for Reserve Grand Champion female, the Duncan Bull Memorial Trophy for highest placed Canadian aged cow, and the Lindsay Trophy for the highest combined milk and fat producer. She is a daughter of Lindale Beacon Echo, whose get won second prize in the Get of Sire class.

In dry, yearling heifers, Lindale Buster's Pansy placed second, and in yearling heifers, in milk, Lindale Echo Sleeper placed sixth in a class of 24. In three-year-olds, Highlow Elite Pansy 8 took second prize in a good

### CAMPBELLVILLE

#### See Rhodesian slides

Marlene Inglis presided over the girls' Group Thankoffering meeting at St. David's Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening, when Kathy McKercher, Judith Inglis and Susan VanSickle had charge of the devotional period.

A double trio consisting of Janice Mahon, Nellie Vanderwinde, Sandra McLaughlin, Susan Ismond, Karen Early and Nancy McPhail rendered I Want To Be A Christian, and England Swings, accompanied by Mrs. Marshall McLaughlin. Pamela Hamby introduced Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Eilsley of R. 3 Milton, who gave a talk and showed colored slides of their trip to Rhodesia, to see their daughter, a missionary nurse there. These pictures gave a true meaning of the real life of the African people and their needs.

Shirley Mackie, on behalf of the girls, presented Mr. and Mrs. Eilsley tokens of appreciation for their efforts. Janice Inglis and Janice Mahon accepted the offering and dedicated it.

Judith Inglis then presented Mrs. Velma Norris, president of the Brampton Presbyterian, with a donation of money for the Women's Missionary Society for Indian Youth work in Indian School and Indian Friendship House in Toronto. Mrs. Norris brought greetings from the presbytery. Mrs. Marshall McLaughlin thanked the speakers, and all who took part in the meeting, and closed with the hymn, Softly Now the Light of Day, and a social half hour followed.

### MONDAY'S LINE-UP

Orangeville — Bob Hogarth, goal, Bill Church, Bob Church, H. McDonald, M. Townley, O. Mortley, J. Davison, D. Milton, R. Little, R. Strong, K. Ahrens, J. Wanless.

Acton — Jim Sweeney goal, Jim Cunningham, George Grady, Murray Marchment, Don Snider, defences: Blake Inglis, Doug Richardson, Junior Beaumont, Paul Bodendistel, Harold Townsley, Gordie Bell, Dan Arbie, Jan Riddall, forwards.

commonly used. Chopped up corn stalks or corn cobs would be a good source of mulch as well.

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## burning gun powder at Maple Rock

By Art Hawes

Top scores at Maple Rock Shooting Range this week included Dave Johnson with 23, Paul Waddell 23 and Art Hawes 20.

This Sunday the Maple Rock shooters are going to the Halton Sportsmen's Association club house for the second half of the annual trap shooting competition. In the first half of the competition, held at Maple Rock, the local team had a 4-point lead after shooting at 250 clay birds.

Hunting seems to have been unusually poor in the north this year. The moose hunting in most areas was below par and deer hunters also reported poorer than usual success. Both groups were plagued by bad weather and this is believed to have been the main cause of the poor luck.

Ontario Department of Lands and Forests biologists are studying the eyes of moose trying to find a better and more accurate way of determining the age of

moose shot. They hope to do this by weighing the lens of the eye.

Studies are also being undertaken on the reproductive cycle of moose. It has been found that, contrary to popular belief, the mating season occurs at the same time each year, regardless of the weather.

Seventeen per cent of the cows bear calves at two years of age. Twin calves are rare among the younger cows, but 25 per cent of the older cows have twins. There were two records of triplets. Cows over 10 years of age, although less common in the herd, are apparently as productive as the younger cows. All male moose, including yearlings, mate every year.

Net production of the herd is 24 per cent, which means 24 out of every 100 moose can be killed each year (including natural causes of death and those who fall prey to wolves) can be killed each year with the population remaining constant.

A bull moose shot in the Port Arthur area this year had antlers measuring 63 inches across with 30 points.

## Mic Macs spoil debut . . .

(Continued from Page 2) Weber and his shot caught the open corner.

A freak shot from the side of the net by Richardson at 12:25 put the Tanners ahead 3-1. Then the Mic Macs fired their big guns. First Ross Russell, then Frank Martin and finally Norm Love scored at 13:06, 13:46 and 14:50 respectively to put a different complexion on the game. The Tanners could organize no effective attack in the third period under the tight checking umbrella Hespeler threw up. Even while Mic Macs were short-handed they controlled play. Their persistence paid off when Frank Martin flipped the disc up into the twine at 13:33 and Weber added his second at 15:36.

Mercer, a refugee from the Galt Hornets, Weber and Heatherington were tops up front for Hespeler while Currie and Richardson starred for Acton.

Eight of the 13 penalties were served by the visitors.

Final Period  
A-D. Richardson (B).

Inglis) 10:53  
 Pens. — Marchment, Weber, Mercer, Marchment (7 min.), Heatherington (5 min.), B. O'Kafka, Riddall, Heatherington.  
**Second Period**  
 A-B. Inglis (D. Richardson, J. Beaumont) 3:24  
 H-Weber (Mercer, Russell) 5:41  
 A-D. Richardson 12:25  
 H-R. Russell (D. Bowman) 13:06  
 H-F. Martin (N. Love) 13:46  
 H-N. Love (F. Bowman) 14:50  
 Pens. — Currie, O'Kafka.  
**Third Period**  
 H-F. Martin (I. O'Kafka) 13:33  
 H-Weber (Mercer, R. Russell) 15:36  
 A-J. Beaumont (Richardson, Cunningham) 19:39  
 Pens. — Heatherington (2), Cunningham.  
 Acton — G. Hillock goal, Jim Cunningham, Bill Currie, Murray Marchment, Dennis Snider, defences: Gord Bell, Harold Townsley, Tim Haines, Blake Inglis, Junior Beaumont, Doug Richardson, Emmerson Baxter, Jan Riddall, Dan Arbie.  
 Officials — Ron Breen, referee; Gerry Perkins, linesman.

class of 30 shown. His entry in the Breeder's Herd placed third. Kenneth Ella and Son, Horby, had the second prize two-year-old, Rock Ella Acme Diana, in a strong class of 33 shown. In yearling heifers they placed seventh with Mervia's Wallflower 2V, and their Breeder's Herd placed fourth.

Featherstone Bros., Oakville, placed sixth in dry, yearling heifers, with Avonlea Acme Liz and ninth in yearling heifers, in milk, with Avonlea Acme Nan.

De-H. McCuaig and Son, Norval, placed fifth in yearling heifers with Norval Acres Favorite Jess, that was purchased by R. T. Sayles and Sons, Paris, in the Sale of Stars for \$1,200, third highest price in the sale.

Ernest Alexander, Norval, consigned Castor's Cora to the Sale of Stars and she was purchased by Willow Hollow Farm, Shawville, Que., for \$425.

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### Orangeville here on Friday night

Orangeville Dufferins pay a return visit to Acton Friday night for another joust with the Tanners. Monday's game in Orangeville was a rugged affair with fights, high sticks and elbows predominating.

## MUNICIPALITY OF ESQUESING Nomination Meeting

A meeting of the municipal electors of the Township of Esqueving will be held in Esqueving Community Hall, Stewarttown, on

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1966

at 7:30 o'clock in the evening for the purpose of nominating candidates for the offices of REEVE, DEPUTY, REEVE and COUNCILLORS for the year 1967 and two members of the School Board of Township School Area No. 1 for the year 1967-68.

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